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Day Ahead.

The Kentuckian is out a day ahead this time, in order to clear the decks for Christmas without missing an issue. It is somewhat reduced in size, but still the record of never missing a paper is maintained. The next issue will be on Saturday as usual.

Judge Jno. E. Cooper, of Mt. Sterling, long a circuit judge of his district, died at Hot Springs, Ark., Tuesday, aged 71 years.

If Gov. Wilson should invite the trust buyers to purchase only association tobacco, the disturbance would be settled in a jiffy.—Kuttawa Times.

Persons who refused to testify in the "night rider" cases at Clarksville were fined \$250 each and the cases, on appeal, are soon to be passed upon by the Supreme Court of Tennessee.

Edna Mason, a mulatto girl, won the first prize at a beauty show held at a charity bazaar in Taylortown, Pa., and now the admirers of her white competitors threaten to expel the entire colored population from the neighborhood.

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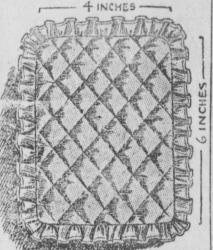
Nothing could be more attractive than one of the coats tailored in this style. Although the empire vest is a dainty feature of these coats, the general empire effect is gradually giving way to other models, particularly the semi-cutaway designs, with fronts smartly rounded away and finished with a wide band, or with a binding or a binding of elegant silk braid.

Redfern shows a tailored gown in very dull maeve cloth, the skirt having two broad box pleats on either side of the front. The pleats begin just above the knee. Across the top of these are two rows of two buttons each, the cloth finished at either edge with large buttons covered with maeve moire in dull gold rims. The coat is piped with modern brown moire, a rather queer sounding combination, but an effect beautiful to look at. The piping on the sleeves is a curved line, and the empire vest is made entirely of the brown moire, with handsome metal buttons stitched down either side. The shoulders are long in effect, and one might describe the sleeves as a series of cuffs, for they are stitched with a large metal button at each end, the lower edge, each standing out beyond the outside seam, cuff-like, with a large button setting off each hand. At the wrists there is a wide piping of brown that appears anywhere else on the coat, and the sleeves have sufficient novelty about them to suggest the coming of winter.

TEA POT HANDLE HOLDER.

Made of Quilted Silk, Six by Four Inches Square.

"To be mistress of oneself, though china fall," is not more difficult sometimes than to keep one's temper when a hot tea pot handle is burning one's



The Holder.

fingers; in fact, sometimes one is almost tempted to drop the tea pot, even at the risk of breaking the cups beneath.

It is a good plan, therefore, to have at hand a neat little contrivance for holding the handle of the tea pot without burning one's fingers, some such holder, for instance, as may be seen in the accompanying illustration. This little holder is made in quilted silk, the quilting silk being covered with a silk, and it might be further adorned at each corner with small ribbon bows. The color of the silk should be chosen to suit the tea service.

PURPLE FAD IN PARIS.

Brightest of Hues Find Favor in the French Capital.

A mention of purple is justified by the fact that this color in the brightest shades is in vogue in Paris at the moment. There are entire costumes of it, large hats and coats of it, and everything about the toilette is purple. It is as if the women of fashion were royally mourning for something departed, as indeed they are—"we are mourning the hats department, the stockings, the shoes, the gloves, the hats, the stockings, the gloves, as some one put it in one of the smart salons the other afternoon."

There is nothing unusual about this new vogue, however, for Paris often does mad over a color, usually a difficult one; but then complexities and disorders do not matter in a land that owns the best perfumers and coiffeurs in the world.

A number of exquisite silk frocks in purple are stamped with motifs of cloth. They are perfect works of art, besides being strikingly original; but, alas, originality nowadays means endless patience, and in order to have a new cloth, to use a forceful paint.

A Bright Idea.
It was a quick-witted bachelorette who discovered that bamboo porch curtains made an ideal partition in the large room she had engaged to use for a studio. She had a bamboo partition made, and then, with the help of a few friends, she painted it in a gay, gay pattern.

England's Rural Depopulation.

Among the causes of rural depopulation in England are the attractions of cities, the conversion of arable land into pasture, the consolidation of farms, the use of labor-saving machinery, the low, average wage of \$3.50 a week, the craze to get rich quick, the spirit of the age, and the restlessness due for amusement.

by J. W. H. New, from "Up and Out," by J. W. H. New, published by the "D. C. Heath & Company."

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Mr. Brether's Footprint.

A Tammay man tells a story in connection with a caucus held in Troy some years ago as illustrating how fully alive the Celts of that city were to the opportunities of American citizenship according to Lippincott's.

During the caucus in one of the lower wards of the city a certain Michael Mullaly, a native of Ireland, was in position on the ward ticket to be voted for at the charter election. Some inquiries were made of Thomas Mullaly as to who this person bearing the same name might be, as no one in the neighborhood could call him to mind.

"He's my brother," explained Tom, with a frank alacrity. "He's not arrived in this country yet, but he took a ship av a Wednesday, an' 'll be here in time for the election."

Elephant and Engine Meet.

An elephant was crossing a railway line when a down ballast train in motion tried to whistle him off the line, says the Madras Pioneer. He obeyed the line, but instead of the engine going back with all the strength he could muster, causing the derailment of the engine and one of the trucks. The driver fell off and received some injuries, and the mahout, who had apparently lost all hold over the animal, and had perhaps anticipated the accident, jumped off over the engine. The elephant was only bruised.

The Quality of Sympathy.

There is, I think, no man that apprehends his own miseries less than myself, and no man that so nearly apprehends another's. I could lose an arm without a tear, and with few groans, yet I can weep most seriously over a play, and receive with true passion the counterfeit grief of those known and professed impostures. It is not the tears of our own eyes only, but of our friends also, that do exhaust the current of our sorrows.—Sir Thomas Browne.

Caught the Public.

The proprietors of a dressmaker's establishment in Paris put out, in place of the usual wax models, pretty girls in new gowns in the windows. Every now and then one of the girls would cough or sneeze or turn around, showing the back of her gown. By 11 o'clock at night, however, the crowd had gathered around the windows. The police were obliged to drive the people on and ask the proprietors to take the models out of the window. The crowd stopped traffic in the street.

Smoke No Barrier.

A Staten Island man stood at a way-side store the other day, says the New York Press, and four gypsy women, decked out in the usual colors and brass jewelry of their kind, climbed aboard. Men stared and women looked at each other as the four entered the smoking car and calmly took seats. The conductor dashed forward. "Here," he said, "this is the smoking car!" "Well," said one of the four ironically, "we smoke."

He Found Out.

Tommy ran excitedly into the room, eager to impart information. "Oh! where did you get all that paint on your hands and clothes?" exclaimed his mother, looking at him with indifference. "I wanted to see if the people 'cross the street were telling the truth. They have a sign that says 'Paint.' I know right along that it was varnish, and I found it was, too."

Personal Worth.

There is nothing more precious to the heart of another like the recognition of personal worth. Most of us can recall the days when we walked with a lighter step because there had come to us the cordial recognition of another human soul. We do not always think of the resources lie in an honest word of recognition of another's work and purpose.

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